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1. On 22 November 1951, 3,000 troops of the Soviet 7 Armored Division,¹ equipped with 40 T-34 tanks and 4 heavy guns, arrived in Dairen from the Kamchatka Peninsula.
2. Between 20 and 28 November two Soviet divisions arrived in the Port Arthur-Dairen area.

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[REDACTED] Comment. See 25X1A [REDACTED] concerning a Peiping rumor on Soviet divisions in Manchuria in early November.

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1. [REDACTED] Comment. Such a division cannot be identified in this office; as of 1 November the Soviet 7 Mechanized Division and the 7 Tank Division were both in Germany.

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